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HONGKONG, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 25TH, 1876

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Arrivals.

February 24, Diomed, British str., 1,201, Jackson, Liverprol 30th December, Port Said 16th, Suez 18th, Penang 11th February, and Singapore 16th, General.—BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. February 24, Leonor, Spanish str., 408, L. Dias, Takao 22nd February, General .-

D. LAFRAIK & Co. February 24, Noena, British str., 606, A. B. Walker, put back, General Kwok

February 24, ESMERALDA, German bark, 788, P. Hansen, Cardiff 14th October, Coals. -MELCHERS & Co. February 24, ARRATOON APCAR, British str., 959, Cass, Saigon 19th February, Rice. For the Compton D'Escompte DE PARIS, -Siemssen & Co.

February 24, MENELAUS, British str., 1,659, R. S. Crompton, Shanghai 20th Feb., and Amoy 23rd, General BUTTERFIELD & Swire.

Clearances.

AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. FEBRUARY 24TH. Rajah, str., for Swatow.

Cancan, for Manila.

Departures.

February 24, DJEMNAH, str., for Saigon and Marscilles. February 24, Asie Mineure, for Saigen

Passengers. Per Diomed, str., from Liverpool, do .:--Mr. Oscar Nordt and 480 Chineso. Per Menelaus, str., from Shanghai, &c. :-Mrs. Wendel and Mr. H. F. Dent, and 750

Obinese. Per Arratoon Apcar. str., from Saigon :--1 Chinese.

Per Djemnah, str., for Saigon & Marseilles :-For Saigon.—Sisters Candide and St. Li. zier, and Messra. Laryon and Lequelbe, and Chinese. For Singapore. Mr. H. R. Davison and 3 Chinese. For Naples -Mr. and Mrs Hayllar. For Marseilles. - Mr. and Mrs. Erach tenberg and 4 children, Mr. and Mrs. Brunat, children, and servant, Commander Descharmes Messrs, J. W. Danielson, Morejon, Bernard Harold, J. Walter, Thomas Brown, King and servant, and John Burc.

Per Rajah, str., for Swatow: 100 Chinese.

Reports.

The Spanish eteamship Leoner reports left Takao on 22nd February, and had fine weather

The British steamship Menelaus reports left Shanghai on 20th February, and Amey on the 23rd, and experienced moderate and fine weather throughout.

The British steamship Norna reports from Hongkong on 22nd instant for Swatow. strong Northerly winds and thick weather. Having an accident to machinery off Pedro Branco, puts back under sail! Anchored off Green Island on the evening of the 23rd, all well.

The British steamship Arratoon Apear reports left Saigon on 19th February. Had fine weather and moderate monsoon to the Paracels from thence to port strong N.E. gales with CHINA AND JAPAN MARINE INSURbeavy bead sea. Passed the German bark Cap. Hom off the Paracels, bound South

The British steamship Diomed reports left Said on 16th January, and left again on the February, and left again on the 12th sarrived at Poration, Shanghai. Singapore on the 14th, and left again on the Warrants will be delivered upon presentation 16th. First part had light N.N.E. winds and of the Scrip for endorsement at the Head Office fine weather; after which had strong N.E. and on and after the 19th inst. N.N.E. winds and thick. cloudy weather. On By Order of the Liquidators, 19th February, in lat. 9.40 N. and long. 109.00 By Order of the Liquidators, JOHN East, passed the British ship Carrick Castle; steering South. On same day, passed a Russian man-of-war, going South.

Vessels that have arrived in Europe from Ports in China, Japan and Manila. (Per last Mail's Admice

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Auction Sales To-day.

Sundry Goods.

LANE, ORAWFORD & Co. At 12 noon.

STORAGE. MOODS RECEIVED on STORAGE at moderate rates. Storage for KEROSINE OIL in approved Fire-Proof Godowns. TO LET. A Two-STORIED CODOWN, with immediate possession. THE HOUSE No. 109, QUEEN'S ROAD, POSsession on let March next.

Apply to PURDON & Co. 1m 155 Hongkong, 4th February, 1876. MILLAR AND CO.

HUUSE, SHIP, AND STEAMBOAT PLUMBERS, COPPERSMITHS, and BRASSFOUNDERS. I, QUEEN'S ROAD EAST AND NULLAH

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INTASSIAMULL DHURRUMDASS. CASHMERE and INDIA MERCHANT. Has for Sale, Cashmere Shuwls, Morning Ricks accepted, and Policies of Insurance Gowns, Rampore and Delbi Shawle, Burnous, granted at the rates of Premium current at the Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots, third place. Time 4min. 421 sec. and Sindh Gold Lace Work Goods, &c., &c. No. 80, QUEEN'S ROAD,

Next to Mesers. BAYLE & Co., Hongkong. 6m 1887 24th December, 1875.

Intimations.

BACE HOLIDAYS. THE Undermentioned BANKS will OLOSE for Public Business at Twelve o'clock Noon TO-DAY and TO-MORROW, the 25th Praya, and 26th inst. For the ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.

GEO. O. SCOTT. Acting Manager Hongkong, For the CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF HEARTHRUGS, ACCORDIONS. INDIA, LONDON, AND CHINA. H. H. NELSON. Manager, Hongkong.

For the CHARTEBED BANK OF INDIA, AUS-TRALIA, AND CHINA. THOMAS FORREST. Acting Manager, Hongkong.

CHR. DE GUIGNE. Manager. For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking CORPORATION. JAMES GREIG.

Chief Manager. For the NATIONAL BANK OF INDIA, LIMITED. B. H. SANDEMAN. Acting Manager. 4d 250 Hongkong, 22nd February, 1876. HONGKONG AND WHAMPUA DOOK

COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Ordinary Yearly MEETING of the THE Undersigned has received instruction A Shareholders will be held at the Office of the Company, Club Chambers, on MONDAX Public Auction, on the 28th February, at 3 P.M., for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts to 31st the 28th day of February, 1876, at Noon at his December, 1875, the Report of the Directors, for the election of Directors and Auditors; also to declare a Dividend. By Order of the Board:

D. GILLIES, 153 208 Hongkong, 12th February, 1876. COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE. I THE Transfer Books of the Company w be OLOSED from the 15th to the 29th

instant, both days included.

By Order, D. GILLIES. Secretary. 204 Hongkong, 12th February, 1876. HONGKONG AND OHINA BAKERY COMPANY, LIMITED.

A N ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the Company's Office, Queen's Road, on THURSDAY, the 2nd March proximo, at 4 P.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managere, a Statement of Accounts to the 31st December, 1875, and for the election of a Consulting Committee and

Auditors. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., General Managers. 18d 207 Hongkong, 14th February, 1876. HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPURATION.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

I'HE DIVIDEND declared for the half-year ending on 31st December last, at the rate of Six per cent. per annum, say \$3.75 per paid. on Share of \$125, is payable on and after FRIDAY, the 18th instant, at the Offices of the Corporation, where Shareholders are requested to apply for Warrants. By order of the Board of Directors.

JAMES GREIG. Chief Manager. tf 237 Hongkong, 17th February, 1876. ANCE COMPANY, IN LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

Liverpool on 30th December; arrived at Port N and after the 24th January, a FIRST FONIER and Japanese CABINETS, Hand-DIVIDEND of Fifty Tuels (Tls. 50) per 17th; arrived at Sacz on the 18th, and left | Share will be PAYABLE at the Offices of the again on the 19th; arrived at Penang on 11th Hongwong and Shanghat Banking Con- GRAPHS, ENGRAVINGS.

Acting Secretary

63 Shanghai, 4th January, 1876. LAIVE HOUSES for SALE, Nos. 7, 9, 11 13, and 15, SHIP STREET, Wanchai. For Particulars, apply to

House Agent, 9, Hellywood Road 73 Hongkong, 14th January, 1876. FOR SALE.

DWELLING HOUSES No. 1 and No. 2, St. John's Place. Apply to S. E. BURROWS & SONS. 653 Hongkong, 1st May, 1875.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER AND

SPECIAL ACTS OF PARLIAMENT. Established 1809. OAP1TAL-£2,000,000

Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 chaser's risk on the fall of the hampier. on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same, at the usual rates, subject to a discount of Twenty per cent. (20 %)

GILMAN & Co., tf 1063 Hongkong, 7th July, 1874. MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned Agenta are in receipt of instructions from the Board of Directors. authorizing them to issue Policies to the extent of £10,000 on any one First-class Risk, or to the extent of \$215,000 on Adjoining Risks at CLOAKS. TABLE and OHAIR COVERS. Jurrent Rates.

A Discount of 20 % allowed. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.,

MANUHESTER FIRE ASSULANCE OUM

48t Hongkong, 8th January, 1875.

PANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON. IME Undersigned have been appointed Agents for the above Company at Hong. kong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai, and Hankow and are prepared to grant Insurances at

Current Rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. tf 1958 Hongkon z. lath October, 1868.

PECNIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY THE Undersigned having been appointed

Agents to the above Company at this Pert, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$40,000, on Buildings or prising on Goods stored therein. DOUGLAS LAPBAIK & Co. of 717 Hongkong, 9th November, 1869

THE CHINA PIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. HEAD OFFICE-HONGKONG. GENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of Tollet GLASSES. China and Japan, and at Singapore,

Saigon and Penang. above-mentioned Ports. No charge for Policy fees.

JAS. B. COUGHTRIE, Hougkong, lat November, 1871. [tf 385]

Auctions. GENERAL WEEKLY SALE.

T ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will Sell by Public Auction, in their Sale Rooms,

THIS DAY, the 25th February, 1876, at Noon,-SAUCES, FEARL BARLEY, TUM BLERS, PADLOOKS, SEALING WAX, 20 Piculs IRON WIRE. 30 Kegs CUT NAILS, sizes 14 to 24 inch. 10 Droms TURPENTINE.

1 GAZOGENE APPARATUS, complete. 1 Drawing off MAUHINE, for Syphore and Bottles. 30 SYPHONS, with large Levers. OLD TON.

TERMS or SALE -Oash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 717. All Lots with all faults and errors of description, at purconsers rick on the full of the hammer. 258 Hongkong, 23rd February, 1876.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

SUBSTANTIAL ENGLISH & COLONIAL MADE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE. ENGRAVINGS, GLASSWARE, PLATED WARE, PIANO,

from JOHN G. SMITH. Esq., to Sell by

Residence. "IDLEWILD." owing to cimpge of residence,— The whole of his Substantial English and Colonial made HOUSEHOLD FURNITURI

comprising :-- Drawing and Bedroom SUITES GLASSWARE, PLATED WARE, Dinner, Dessert, and Breakfast SETS, ENGRAVINGS PIER GLASSES. GASALTERS. GA BRACKETS. CARPETS. Window CUR-TAINS and CORNICES, Marble-top TABLES BOOKCASE, DINING TABLE SIDE BOARD, WHATNUTS, CHAIRS, IRON BEDSTEADS, TOILET TABLES, WASH STANDS and SERVICES, &c., &c.

A COTTAGE PIANO. Catalogues will be issued. TERMS OF SALE .- Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots. with all faults and errors of description, at purchasers' risk on the fall of the hammer. J. M. ARMSPRONG.

220 Hongkong, 15th February, 1876.

FURNITURE SALE. LEGANT ENGLISH AND CANTON MADE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

GRAND PIANO. PARK PHÆTON AND PAIR OF PONIES.

A FINE COLLECTION OF FERNS, CAMELIAS, ROSES, AND OTHER CHOICE PLANTS.

ANE, ORAWFORD & Co. have received I instructions to Sell by Public Auction,

TUESDAY, ...the 29th February, 1876, at Noon, at "DUART," CAINE ROAD. the Residence of the Hon. T. O. HAYLLAR,-The whole of his Handsome and Substantiall

made HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, com Handsomely Carved EBONY SIDE and CENTRE TABLES, Mahogany Marone Morocco Covered UUUUHES and UHAIRS Carved Bombay Blackwood COUCHES and FLOWER STANDS, Inlaid Ormola CHIF

some Mantel-piece MIRRORS. OIL PAINTINGS. CHROMO-LITHO CARPET, WINDOW CURTAINS. Gile CORNICES, GASALIERS, AQUARIUMS,

Bronze and Porcelain VASES. Handsome BOOKCASE, Carved SIDE. BOARD with Mirror back, GLASS and

CROCKERY WARE, SILVER and ELEC-TRO-PLATED TABLE WARE, WHAT-NOTS, CHAIRS, CLOCKS, Plated CANDLE. FEATHER MATTRESSES, BUREAU with down. Time 2 min. 134 sec. MIRROR, WARDROBES, CHESTS of

DRAWERS, Marble-top WASHSTANDS,

Toilet GLASSES, Cheval GLASSES, IRON and BRASS BEDSTEADS, LAMPS, A GRAND PIANO, by J. BROADWOOD and Sons, made expressly to stand this Climate. One 4-Wheeled PARK PHATON, h

LENNY, with a Pair of WHITE PONIES, and Donblo Set SILVER MOUNTED HARNESS. Ladica' and Gentlemene' SEDAN CHAIRS, Mr. Henry's Poisson d'Avril............... The Carriage and Ponies and the Plants Mr. Sydney's Le Cerf Agile......

Catalogues will be issued prior to the Sale, day and proved a capital race. Of the horses and the Furniture will be on view on MONDAY, which took the field Grey Frant was one, but the 28th February, 1876.

PUBLIC AUCTION. from Messrs, KHAN CHUND CHUTTA. MULL to Sell by Public Auction, on WEDNESDAY.

210 Hongkong, 14th February, 1876.

Sale Rooms, Queen's Road,-Delhi GOODS, comprising: GOWNS, SCARVES, SMOKING CAPS, OUSHIONS, SLIPPERS Gold and Silver LACE WORKS, and Sundry other EM.

BROIDERED GOODS. Agents Inlaid and Carved Sandalwood and Tobie Mr. Paule and Mr. Brooks Localwage. TERMS OF SALE Oash before delivery Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots. with all faults and errors of description, at purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer.

J. M. ARMSTRONG Auctioneer. 255 Hongkong, 23rd February, 1876. PUBLIC AUCTION.

TIBE Undersigned bus received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on the 3rd day of March, 1876, at 2 o'clock P.M.

at his Sale Rooms, Queen's Road,-An Invoice of English-made FURNITURE just landed, ex Carricks, trom London, com-TABLES, Inlaid DAVENPORT.

Ohildren's COTS, &c., &c. TERMS OF SALE.—Unsh before delivery in hard struggle between Forore and Pegasus for with all faults and errors of description, at purchasers' risk on the full of the nammer.

Auctioneer. 256 Hongkong, 23rd February, 1876

J. M. ARMSTRONG.

- DEATH. At Hongkong, on February 20th, Mr. F. A. DH SOUZA, aged 55 years.

HONGKONG, FUBRUARY 25TH, 1876.

THE RACES. Although the past week or eight days have proved unusually dull, damp, and cheerless, and a similar state of things was prognosticated for the races, expectation was for once. talsified, and the weather on the opening day proved all that could be wished. It is not desirable to have the sun shining in all his strength on such occasions, nor is it pleasant. to sit on the Grand Stand exposed to chilling east winds and watch the "events "through a race between Scamp and Rouble. Scamp won thick misty rain, as not infrequently happens. by two lengths with Furore closely following Yesterday it was fine without being hot, and sec. At the time this race was run it had be. On Oxicurta. -Bank, on demand 224 there was sufficient sun to give a little life come so dark that it was with difficulty the On Shanghal.and animation to the scene. A decrease in horses could be distinguished at any distance. the number of entries is noticeable this year, as last. Outdoor amusements in Hongkong are, it is to be feared, on the decline. The athletic sports have been given up; the regatta, formerly so popular, has also been abandoned; and the races, though still kept up with a good deal of spirit, yearly show a falling-off. This fact is traceable, no doubt in considerable measure, to the commercial depression which has so long prevailed in the

Colony. It is to be hoped, however, that a change for the better in the state of trade may soon take place, when these sports would, in all probability, be entered into with all the zest of former times. There was a very fair attendance of ladies on the Grand Stand considering it was the first, which is not the ladies' day properly speaking: Amongst those present were His Excellency the Governor. Miss Kennedy, Captain O'Callaghan, Sir. Harry and Lady Parkes, Sir Brooke Robertson, Sir John and Lady Smale, the Hon. J. Gardiner Austin, &c. There was about the usual sprinkling of navate and military officers, and the coast ports and Shanghai were pretty fairly represented in the concourse of spectators. The Band of Her Majesty's 28th Regiment was present on the ground, and performed at intervals

during the afternoon. Mr. Pomeroy and Baron de Overbeck were the judges, and the Hon. P. Ryrie and Mr.

The Wone MEL-CHONG STAKES, for China Manile, and Japan ponies; weight for inches entrance \$5, with \$75 from the fund. Halls

Mr. Pye's Coronet, 11st. 4lb. Mr. St. Andrew's Daylight, 10st. 916...... Mr. Paul's Krentzer Ilaz 11b. Mr. Annfield's Fleetwing, 10at. 9lb lways endeavoured to get to the front, a fair sround bin, in private life, a large circle of start was effected. Daylight again taking a friends; while the rare ability which he always slight lend with Kreutzer second. At the brought to bear in the discharge of his prostraight Coronet which had bitherto kept third feesional daties has gained for him the admira-

place overbook Daylight and won easily, tion of very many not personally acquainted The Ashley Cup, value \$150, presented by F. returning about a year hence, and all will unite D. Sassoon, Esq., for China, Manila, and in wishing them a safe and pleasant voyage. Japan ponies; entrance \$5; weight for inches.

Mr. Paul's and Mr. Brooks' Teenkwang, Mr. Mouat's Tallapoosa, Ilst. 1lb..... Mr. Fobkien's Benachie, 11st. 11b.....

Mr. Hookmeyer's Pegasus, 11st, 4lb.... A good start was effected. Benachie took the lead, but on passing the stand was overtaken by Teenkwang who kept first place throughout, Tallapoosa best up for second place and on passing the Black Rook was several lengths a head of Benachic. The latter, however made spurt on nearing the post and came in a good Handsome Gilt BRASS BEDSTEAD with third. The winner coming in easily with hands details, but Mr. Disraeli defended it as

> The Hongkond Derey, a Sweepstakes of \$20 empire. each, b.f. if declared on or before the closing of entries, with \$100 added for first pony and \$50 for second; for all China ponies bond fide griffics at date of entry; first, 70 per cent. second, 20 per cent., third, 10 per cent. weight, 10st, 71b. One Mile and a Hulf.

Mr. St. Andrew's White Friar..... Mr. Grammont's Steamboat....... Mr. Paul's and Mr. Brooks' Folly...... The Fhairshon's Skian Dhu......... Mr. Pye's Pimento.

This was the one of the largest fields of the after considerable difficulty had been experi-TERMS OF SALE—Cash before delivery in enced in mounting him he threw his rider and Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots, was withdrawn. After a number of talse starts the above Company, are prepared to grant with all faults and errors of description, at pur- the horses got off well together, Poisson d'Ayril drew to the front and kept the lead past the Black Rock, Pimento coming up as the ponise neared the village. Poisson d'Avril, however, Police Sergeant No. 49 with selling samehu kept the lead past the Grand Stand, after to seamen in board the British ship. Sir Harry

THE Undereigned has received instructions which the field got well together again. Parkes. This was the man who caused three of Passing the Black Book the second time, the seamen to be brought before the Marine THE UNDERMENTIONED MAND an the great test point of the race. White Friar | Magistrate yesterday for drunkenness and intook the lead, Steambout coming on with Folly colence. The prisoner appears to have been the let day of March, 1876, at 2 P.M., at his drawing up for the third. This order was caught by the carpenter on board, who gave maintained to the post, White Friar winning evidence to that effect; and Mr. Orompton, the Their entire Stock of Cushmere, Sindh, and by two lengths, and Steamboat leading Folly chief officer gave evidence in reference to the by three. Time 3 men. 31 sec.

A Variety of Handsome SHAWLS, Dressing The GARRISON CUP, presented, for Chine Manils, and Japan ponics; weight for inches; four ponies from opposing stables to start or no race: winner of the Ashley Cup 7ib. extra; sutrance \$10. Once round.

> came up to the post, but a bad start was made from the evidence that there had been a quarrel in which Teenkwang took the lead, followed by of long standing between the parties which Fleetwing, with Rouble toird. Oberokee did not | ended in the assault complehed of. get away and Rouble fell out of the race almost | The magatrate, after hearing evidence, said immediately after starting. Teenkwang led all the prisoner acted more like a beast than a the way. Time 2 min. 141 cec.

the Foochow community, for Obine, Mavila, and Jupan ponies; weight for inches; entrance \$5. Two Miles. Mr. Cornabie's Black Satin, 11st, 11b.... Mr. Paul's Kreutzer, list. 11b Mr. Henry's Furore, list. 11b. Mr. Hockmeyer's Pogasus, List. 11b....

The FOOCHOW Cup, value \$250, presented by labour.

Air. Faulkner's Monitor, List. 11b.... This was a good rape. The ponies got off Walnut Drawing Room SUITES, in Orimson, together and all ran well. Furore took the Blue, Green, and Striped Reps and Cretonne. lead, followed by Krentzer, with Pegasue third, and London - Marble-top CHIFFONIERS, Bell Work Neuring the Black Book, Black Satin took se- For Marbilles 505 bales Silk, 25 cases Silks, cond place. Passing the St ad Ferore, Black 6 bales Cocone, 27 bales Waste Silk, 50 half Walnut Toilet TABLES and Marble-top Satin, and Kreutzer were rauning an almost obests Ted and 366 cases Sundries. For WASHSTANDS, Mahogany Cheval GLASSES, neck and nick race, but before reaching London 380 bules Silk, 9 cases Silks, 149 bult-Gilt MIRRORS, Birch Folding CHAIRS, the Black Rock the second round Black Satin | chests Ten, 90 cases Essential Oil; 48 cases had drawn up to the front and gradually in- Sundries, School Gold (5,152) outcos); and 1 Iron Single and Double BEDSTEADS, creased her lead coming in easily Krentzer case Treasure (\$17,640.) second, and Furore a good third. There was a

meeting; weight for inches; entrance \$5. Ohing Tradita Insurance Company's Shares-

Three-truncters of a Mile.

Mr. St. Andrew's Grey Priar, 10st. 121b.... Mr. Paul's and Mr. Brooks Fully, 10st, 12lb. Mr. Pye's Piorento, 10st. 12b. Mr. Greige Dividend, 10st, 91b.... Mr. Thomas's Mabarajah, 10st. 12lb. Mr. Heinrich's Griffin: 10st 1215.....

Mr. Marlborough's Pioneer, 11st. 416..... start was effected. Timento drew from its Friar gotthe lead, and kept it to the end. Folly Time 1 mp, 41 sec. The Rubolph Cup, value \$150, presented by Shangbai Steam Navigation Company-Tla. W. R. Landstein, Esq., for all China, Manila,

and Japan ponies; weight for inches; entrance \$5. One Mile and a Half. Mr. Pye's Scamp, 10st, 91b Mr. Fohkisa's Rouble, 10st, 12lb..... Mr. Henry's Furore, List. 11b. Mr. St. Andrew's Black Friar, 10st. 12lb Mr. Sydney's Oher kee, 10st. 12h..... Mr. Paul's Silbergroschen, 11st. 11b..... A very good start was made. Cherokee took the lead, but was soon running a neck and neck race with Rouble. Scamp, however, drew to the front Cherokee falling behind, leaving the

PROGRAMME FOR THIS DAY. The Scurry Stakes, for China, Manila, and Japan ponice, bond fide griffing at the date of entry; weight for inches; winners of one race at this meeting 71b, extra; of two, 10lb, extra; outrance \$5, with \$100 from the fund

Three-quarters of a Mile.

he GERMAN CUP. value 100 Guineas, presented by the German community, for China, Manila and Japin ponies; weight for inches; entrance \$10. Two Miles. The PARSE CUP, value \$150, presented by the Parsee Community, for China, Manila, and Japan ponies; weight for inches; winners of one race at this meeting 71b. extra: two, 101b. erira; entrance \$5. Once round.

The BANKERS CUP, value \$150, presented by the Backers of Hongkong, for China ponies weight for inches; previous non-starters to curry 12st.; entrance \$5. One Mile. be Phofessional Cup, value \$320, presented by the Professional Gentlemen of Hongkong. for China Manila, and Japan ponies; weight for inobes; winners of one race at this meeting 7lb.extra; two, 10lb, extra; three, 15ib. extra; penulties accumulative; previous non- OHRISTY'S BLACK and DRAB FELT starters excladed; entranco \$10 (to go to second jony). Two Miles, The Exchange CVP, value \$200, presented by the Exchange Brokers of Hongkong, for China ponies: weight for inches; entrance

the Welter Stakes of \$5 each, with \$100

from the fund, for Uhina, Manila, and Japan

\$5. One Mile and a quarter.

ponies : weight 12st. Half a Mile

The Legislative Council will meet on Monday ext, the 28th instant, at 2.30 p.m. Mr. Haylar, Q.C., and Mrs. Hayllar left for England by the French mail steamer yesterday. A number of friends assembled at Peddur's Wharf at eleven o'clock, and embarked with them in the Governor's barge. Among those including the Tandem, Camival, Clyde, Lothair, who went on board were the Honourable J. Brameton, Dr. O'Brien, Mr. Ed. Sharp, Mr. Price, Mr. Crengh. Baron do Cercal. &c. Before leaving the wharf Mrs. Hayllar was presented by the Garden Committee (of which Mr. Haviler has been a zealous member) with a handsone bouquet of flowers. During the years that Mr. Hayllar has already been in the Colony bis intellectual acquirements and bis OXFORD TWILL and REGATTA After several falce starts, in which Daylight courteons and kindly manners have drawn

LATEST TELEGRAMS.

SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS." LONDON, 21st February. THE BUEZ CANAL SHARES PURCHASE. The purchase of the Snez Canal Shares has

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

oca voted without a division. Messrs, Gladstone and Lowe stracked th political pot calculated to strengthen th

THE CIVIL WAR IN SPAIN. The Alfonsists are triumphant in Spain, and the Carlieti are flying to the frontier. THE FRENCH ELECTIONS.

The French elections have resulted in triumph for the moderate Republicans. Only 61 Monarchists and 55 Bonapartists have been roturned. Buffet was defeated and has resigned. RESIGNATION OF THE UNITED STATES MINISTER IN LONDON.

General Schenck has resigned on account of the impending Emma Silver Mine trial.

POLICE INTELLIGENCE. 24th February.

BEFORE THE HON. C. MAY. SELLING SPIRITS WITHOUT A LICENCE. Chun Alice, a boatman, was charged by Water

seamen getting drunk. Inspector Grimes said the prisoner's licence was one number and the boat another number. wall of the above abutting on the Queen's The prisoner was fined in the sum of \$100; Road. in default, three months hard labour, and his boat to be cut into two and each half exhibited ou the Prays.

This was an unexciting race. Four horses committing a violent assault. It appeared man and wateneed him to six months hard

> COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE. THURSDAY, 24th February Sales of Pains at \$605 to \$ 10, the latter

figure being for select chests; of Benares at \$475 to \$580, the latter figure being for select cheats, likewise. No fresh settlements of Malwa. EXPORT CARGORS. Per M. M. steamer Diemnak, for Marseilies.

SHARRS. Hongkong and Shanghar Bank Shares -- I formation, to be made to The Crus Cur, value \$150, for China, Manile, per cent, premium, ex dividend, and Japan ponies that have never won a race Union Insurance Society of Canton, new shares (Canton winners excepted) previous to this —\$600 per share.

China and Japan Marine Insurance-Tls. 59 per share. Chinese Insurance Company .- \$220 per share. Hongkong Fire Insurance Company's Shares-\$500 per share, ex dividend.

China Fire Insurance Company's Shares-\$145 per share. This was another very good race. A fair Victoria Eire Insurance Company's Sharescompanions, but at the Black Rock Grey Hongkong and Whampon Dock Company's Shares-39 per cent. discount. pressing closely at the finish, passing Pimento. Hongkong, Canton and Macao Steamboat Co.'s Shares 5 per cent. decount.

75 per share. Hongkong Gas Company's Shares \$75 per Hongkong Hotel Company's Shares -\$50 per | Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for Chinese Imperial Loan-2102.

EXCHANGE. On London .-Bank Bills, on demand....... 3/101 Bank Bills, at 80 days' sight 3/101 Bank Bills, at 6 months' sight 3/112 Oredits, at 6 months sight ... B/114 Documentary Bills, at smonths' Rouble for the second place. Time 3 min. 25 On BOMBAY. - Bank, on demand 224

Private, 30 days' sight 73 Sales on February 24th, as Reported by White Sugar-200 bags, at \$5.38; by Tai Foong Shun to local trader. Dried Lily Flowers-10 bage, at \$6.30, by Wo Shun Hing to travelling trader, Potatos Flour-50 bags, at \$2.57, by Shun Shing to travelling trader. Bird's Nests-let quality, I case, at \$1,520.00, Yee Shun Tai to travelling trader.

FOR THE RACES. CAYLE & CO. LTAVE JUST RECEIVED, and are now SHOWING:-DRABSHELLHATS with GAUZE VEILS.

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HATS Newest Shapes. PARIS SILK HATS. LONG SOARVES, "Colours of the Stables."

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SILK UMBRELLAS. with the New Patent Spring Fastener. WATERPROOF COATS, " Black and Drab Zephyr and Tweed Mackinton." THIN MELTONS. for Dust Coats. WHITE KERSEYMERE,

for Bacing Breeches. COLORED SILKS and SATINS for Range JACKETS and CAPS. A Few Suit Lengths of FANCY TWEEDS. Choice Patterns. A well selected Stock of TROWSERINGS and BLACK and BLUE BERLIN COATINGS.

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Annual Crown Rent, \$390.48. MARINE LOT 111, WANCHAL .- First-class saw obeth axisostza bas Annual Crown Rent \$324

sidences in the Colony. Annual Crown Rent. 579.78. FARM LOT 17, PORTOOLUM, adjoining Messrs. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE's Premises. Annual Orown Rent, 325 AT KOWLOON :--

MARINE LOT 4 .- With a frontage of 100 feet on the Praya, and with an area of 30,000 Reduced Annual Crown Rept, \$10. AT YOKOHAMA :--Lors No. 6 and No. 27 in the Foreign Settlement.

No. 6 is situated on the Bund, and comprises an Eight-roomed Dwelling House, detached, with Garden all round, Offices, Godowns, Servants' Quarters, and Outhouses. Area 1,064 Tanbos of 36 square feet.... Annual Ground Rent. \$263.79. No. 27 is separated from No. 6 by Water Street, and comprises large Tea Firing and other Godowne, Floss Sith Press, Compradore's Quarters, Stabling, and Fire Engine House. 10 km. Arca, 504 Tanbos.

Applications for Purchase, or further In J. WHITAIL T. G. LINSTEAD. Trustees A. Heard & Co.'s Estate. 23, Queen's Road, Hongkong. 142 Hongkong, 1st Pabriary, 1876.

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OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON, wid SUEZ GANAL. THE Company's Steamship

" MENELAUS " will be despatched at 10 A.M. TO-MORROW, the 26th instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. 232 Hangkong, 25th February, 1876. OUEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

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will be despatched at 11 A.M. TO MORROW. the 96th instrum For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. 233 Hongkong, 25th February, 1876. HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING

CORPORATION. AAR. JAMES GREIG having been granted IVI leave of absence, Mr. Thomas Jackson until further notice, ACT as OHIEF MANAGER of this Corporation. By order of the Court of Directors

JAMES GREIG.

Chief Manager 14d 259 Hongkong, 23rd February, 1876. NOTIOE. TR. LEUNG TSUNG, alias CHÜ SHUN, VI lately an employe in the LEE CHING SHOP, 24, Queen's Road, Hongkong, has not been employed there this year, and if he goes to any shops to get money, goods, &c., the Brown Sugar-300 bags, at \$3.30, by Ying Undersigned will not be held RESPONSIBLE for any debts contracted by bim. This Notice

is given in order to prevent any future dispute. LEE CHING SHOP. 14d 254 Hongkong, 23rd February, 1876. O. ROGERS, DENTAL SURGEON, O . No. 7, ARBUTHNOT ROAD, (will be absent at Canton for a few days from the 28th instant.)-

227 Hongkong, 16th February, 1876. L. THEVENIN, . WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANT, AGENT for DE ST. MARCEAUX ET CIE'S

CHAMPAGNES.

Depot for Vichy Waters, ED. PINAUD ET CIE'S PERFUMERY. N. ANTOINE ET FILS' INES, &c., &c., 11, STANLEY-ST., & 44, QUEEN'S ROAD. FOR SALE-A BARGAIN, FIRST CLASS PRINTING MACHINE quite new, and capable of printing 1,000

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ATANTED, a SITUATION, by a young German, as SERVANT-MAID to accompany a lady or family to Europe. Terms, Free Passage home. Address, "Home Pas-SAGE." Daily Press Office. 1m 195 Hougkong, 10th February, 1876.

212 Hongkong, 14th February, 1876.

In the Goods of GEORGE BARTY FALCONER, Deceased. A LL Persons having any CLAIMS against the above Estate are requested to send in Particulars of the same to the Undersigned on or before the 29th Day of February, 1876, after which date no Claims will be recognised.

And all Persons being indebted to the said Estate are requested to make Immediate Pay-I. B. FALCONER. Administratrix. Queen's Road. Hongkong,

6th December, 1875. [1796] VICTORIA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF HONGKONG LIMITED. IN LIQUIDATION. NOTICE,

A-LL Persons holding Warrants against

unclaimed Dividends, Interest, or Bonus.

are requested to present same for payment at

the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAR BANK before the 1st APRIL, 1876, otherwise their Claims will not be recognised. ADOLF ANDRE.

F. D. SASSOON.

1861. Hongkong, 20th December, 1875. Notices to Consignees.

GERMAN STEAMSHIP BELLONA, FICH-

MEIER, Master, FROM HAMBURG

via SINGAPORE.

MONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above Steamer are hereby informed that their Goode are being landed and stored at their risk in the Godowns of the Undersigned, from whence delivery may be obtained. Consignees wishing to take their Goods from the boats alongside the wharf are at liberty to Goods remaining in store after the 24th

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary is given by 12 o'clock on the 15th instant. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by: WM PUSTAU & Co. 222 Hongkong, 15th February, 1876.

instant, will be subject to rent.

ONE CASE LOC (in diamond). CASE of GLASSWARE, marked as above, - is lying in the Godown of the Undersigned. Unless CLAIMED before the let of diarch, 1870, it will be SOLD to destray expenses. J. S. HOOK & Co.

16d 216 : Hongkong, 14th February, 1876.

EX MONGOL (S.S.), ARRIVED 28TH

OCTOBER, 1874,

BRITISH BARK MARINA, FROM LONDON. CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above named Vessel are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for Countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.

will be landed and stored at Consigness' risk and expense. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents: tf 169 Hongkong, 5th February, 1876.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vesuel

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES" MARITIMES.

NOTICE

MONSIGNEES of Cargo per S.S. PELHO. are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risks at the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained from SATURDAY, the 12th inet, at Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the

Goods remaining unclaimed after TUES. DAY, the 15th inst, at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges. No Fire Insurance bus been effected. G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Acting Agent.

200 Hongkong, 10th January, 1876,

Undereigned.

ti 674 Hongkong, 1st May, 1874.